

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF  
UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS,  
  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF  
UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS-HARVARD  
FACULTY CHAPTER,  
  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF  
UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS AT NEW  
YORK UNIVERSITY,  
  
RUTGERS AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF  
UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS-AMERICAN  
FEDERATION OF TEACHERS, and  
  
MIDELE EAST STUDIES ASSOCIATION,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MARCO RUBIO, in his official capacity as  
Secretary of State, and the DEPARTMENT  
OF STATE,

KRISTI NOEM, in her official capacity as  
Secretary of Homeland Security, and the  
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND  
SECURITY,

TODD LYONS, in his official capacity as  
Acting Director of U.S. Immigration and  
Customs Enforcement,

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity  
as President of the United States, and

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Defendants.

Civil Action No.: 1:25-CV-10685-WGY

**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE**

Notice is hereby given that Assistant United States Attorney Shawna Yen withdraws her appearance as counsel for the Defendants in the above-captioned matter. The reason is that the U.S. Attorney's Office for the District of Massachusetts has been recused from this matter.

The following attorneys from the Department of Justice will continue as counsel for the government: William Kanellis, Victoria Santora, and Jessica Strokus, and Ethan Kanter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: July 7, 2025

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Dated: July 7, 2025

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